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STRUCTURE-SECTION SHEET

COLORADO  
(LAS ANIMAS CO)  
ELMORO QUADRANGLE

LEGEND

SEDIMENTARY ROCKS

Sheet Section  
Symbol Symbol

Nn Nn

Nussbaum formation  
(sand and gravel in part cemented into conglomerate)

Kl Kl

Laramie formation  
(gray sandstone and shale containing coal beds)

Ktd Ktd

Trinidad formation  
(gray sandstone with shaly bands in the lower portion; gray-green limestone in the upper part of the Fox Hills series)

Kp Kp

Pierre shale  
(argillaceous shale with calcareous concretions)

Ka Ka

Apishapa formation  
(slightly calcareous arenaceous shale, somewhat bluish)

Kt Kt

Timpanogos formation  
(calcareous shale and pale-green limestone)

Kcr Kcr

Carlile shale  
(argillaceous shale with large septarian concretions in the upper-beds)

Kgn Kgn

Greenhorn limestone  
(alternating beds of dove-colored limestone and shale)

Kes Kes

Graneros shale  
(argillaceous shale with large concretions)

Kd Kd

Dakota sandstone  
(gray sandstone with thin shale partings and a bed of fine clay)

CRETACEOUS

Sheet Section  
Symbol Symbol

Nb Nb

Extrusive basalt  
(thin flows)

Nib Nib

Intrusive basalt  
(plugs, sheets, dikes, and irregular bodies)

NEOCENE

Sheet Section  
Symbol Symbol

Eocene

Earliest intrusives  
(abundant sheets of early lamprophyre, e.p., and later lamprophyre, l.p.)

EOCENE

Known  
productive  
formations

Kl

Coal  
(in the Laramie formation, extensively used for making coke)

Fire clay

(in the Dakota sandstone)

Geology by R.C. Hills.

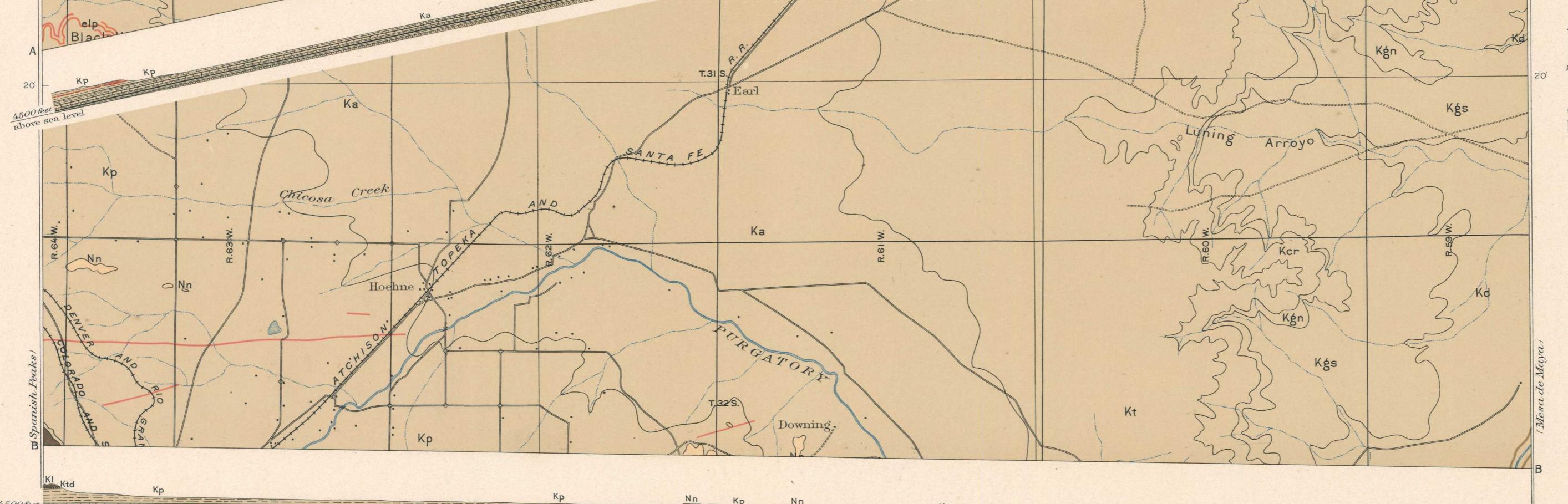
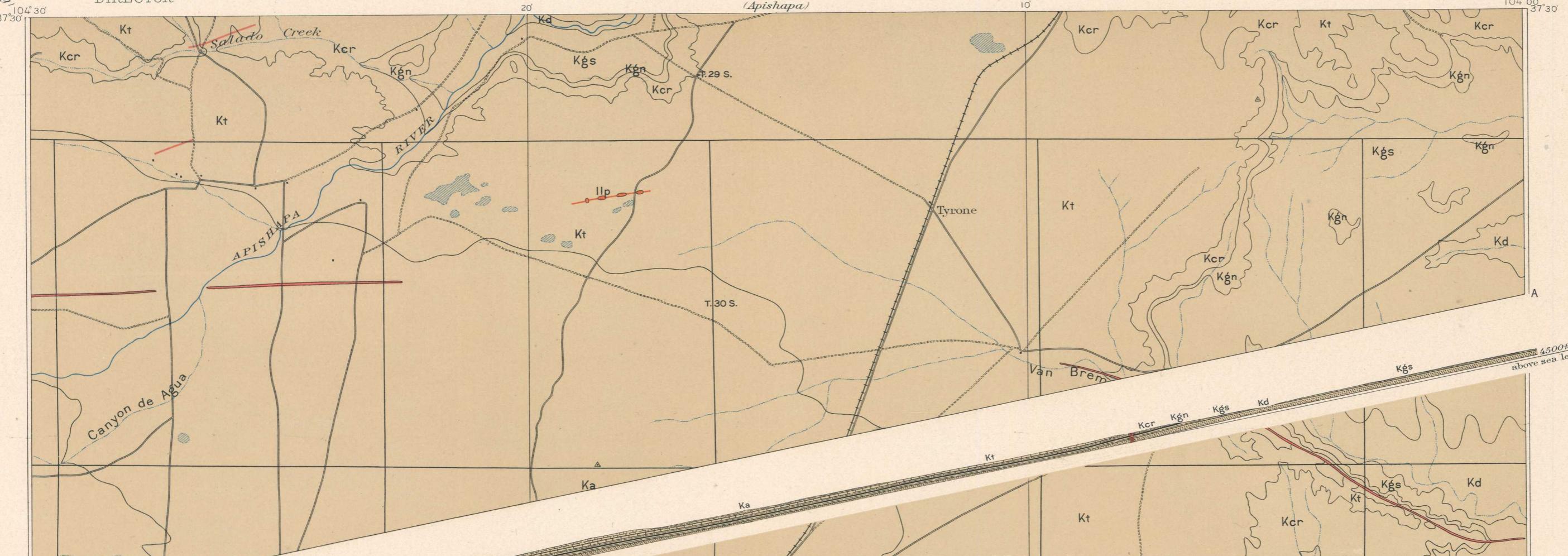
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1 2 3 4 5 Kilometers

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